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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Kroliczek et al.

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT (37 C.F.R. 1.121)

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

The Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment of February 1, 2008, has been received and reviewed. The Notice indicated that the Preliminary Amendment filed on November 19, 2004, is considered non-compliant because it failed to meet the requirements of 37 CFR 1.121 or 1.4. Specifically, with respect to the Amendments to the Specification beginning on page 2 of the Preliminary Amendment, the proposed deletions of five or fewer characters using strikethrough are not readily readable. Applicants have included herewith replacement pages 2 and 3 in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121, comprising the entirety of the Amendments to the Specification section of the Preliminary Amendment.

If any issues preventing allowance of the above-referenced application remain that might

be resolved by way of a telephone conference, the Office is kindly invited to contact the undersigned attorney.

This is filed in response to the Non-Compliant Amendment of February 1, 2008, and supplements the Preliminary Amendment filed November 19, 2004. This Response is being filed by March 3, 2008 (March 1, 2008 being a Saturday).

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.